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COMPOSITIONS FOR CHOLESTEROL MANAGEMENT AND  
RELATED USES

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**REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.142**

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office action dated May 6, 2005, that was issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application. The period for response to this Office Communication has been extended to August 6, 2005, pursuant to Applicants' Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith.

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